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UM'S TOP PHARMACY STUDENTS RECEIVE AWARDS, SCHOLARSHIPS

MISSOULA—

More than 60 top students in The University of Montana's School of Pharmacy and Allied Health Sciences collected kudos recently when the school handed out an array of awards and scholarships. Unless otherwise noted, the recipients are pharmacy majors.

Missoula winners are

■ Kelly Burton, a senior who won the Mylan Pharmaceuticals Excellence in Pharmacy Award of a \$500 Series EE Savings Bond.

■ Jake Howson, a senior and winner of a \$500 Sidney J. Coffee Scholarship.

■ Patricia Miller and Jodianne Wagner, seniors and winners each of a \$500 grant from the Montana State Pharmaceutical Association.

■ Susan Wilson, a senior who received a School of Pharmacy Faculty Award.

■ Mancia Ko, a senior formerly of Hong Kong, received \$650 from the Raymond J. Bennett/John W. Bartlett Student Aid Fund.

Amanda Henry, a senior from Clinton, received an Award of Excellence in Clinical Communication sponsored by Facts and Comparisons.

Kathie Messer, a senior from Corvallis, won two awards: the Surgeon General's Award of Excellence in Public Health Pharmacy Practice and the APHA-ASP Mortar and Pestle Professionalism Award. Keri Buelke, a junior from Victor, received a \$730 James Wedum

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Endowment Scholarship. Cass Contiz, a senior from Stevensville, won the \$505 Kenneth G. Kolstad Memorial Scholarship. And Karen Anderson, a senior from Hamilton, won the Perrigo Co.'s \$200 Award of Excellence in Nonprescription Medications Studies.

Carla Cahoon, a senior from Charlo, received the Eli Lilly Achievement Award; Joseph Charlo, a junior from Arlee, received a \$4,000 scholarship from American Drug Stores.

Deborah Polk, a senior from Kalispell, received a \$500 grant from the Montana State Pharmaceutical Association; Trevor Cummings, a senior from Troy, received a \$500 Sidney J. Coffee Scholarship; Rene Wilkonski-Larson, a senior from Libby, received the Roche Pharmacy Communications Award.

Whitefish had two winners: Patrick Gulick, a graduate student in physical therapy, and Justin MacKenzie, a junior in pre-pharmacy. Both received a \$730 James Wedum Endowment Scholarship.

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